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SUBJ: POLICE PROMISE PROTECTION AGAINST WORK BOYCOTT

REF: CAPE TOWN 1020

1. A SENIOR POLICE OFFICIAL ANNOUNCED TODAY (SEPT 13) THAT POLICE WOULD PROTECT ANY WORKERS WHO MIGHT FEAR RETALIATION IF THEY IGNORE THREATENED BOYCOTT LATER THIS WEEK. PAMPHLETS CALLING FOR WORK BOYCOTT AND THREATENING REPRISALS HAVE BEEN CIRCULATED IN "COLORED" AND "BLACK" RESIDENTIAL AREAS. CAPE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE PRESIDENT ISSUED STATEMENT SAYING CHAMBER HAS "HEARD RUMORS" OF STRIKE AND APPEALED TO WORKERS NOT TO TAKE NOTICE OF THEM. HE POINTED OUT THAT POLICE HAVE GIVEN ASSURANCES THEY THEY WILL NOT TOLERATE INTERFERENCES WITH THOSE "WANTING TO GO ABOUT THEIR NORMAL WORK LIVES" AND SAID THERE IS "NO REASON FOR ANYONE TO STAY AWAY FROM UNCLASSIFIED

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WORK BECAUSE OF THESE RUMORS." CAPE CHAMBER OF INDUSTRIES

ALSO EXPECTED TO ISSUE STATMENT LATER TODAY.

2. AS OF LATE AFTERNOON, SITUATION REPORTED QUIET IN  
CAPE PENINSULA ASIDE FROM STONE-THROWING INCIDENTS AT  
UNIVERSITY OF WESTERN CAPE AND ON MAJOR HIGHWAY THROUGH  
"COLORED" AREA OF BONTEHEUWEL.  
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